# SECRETARY'S RECORD, NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

### BEFORE THE NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of the Application of Southern Kansas Telephone	)	Applicati	.on	No.	C-3	779
Company, Inc., Clearwater,	)					
Kansas, seeking approval to	)					
discontinue provision of	)	GRANTED				
Interexchange service, to	)					
withdraw tariff and to relinquish	)					
Certification of Public	)					
Convenience and Necessity in the	)					
State of Nebraska.	)	Entered:	Αŗ	oril	17,	200

#### BY THE COMMISSION:

By application filed March 9, 2007, Southern Kansas Telephone Company, Inc., (Southern), Clearwater, Kansas, is seeking authority to cancel its certificate of authority to provide interexchange telecommunications services in the State of Nebraska, previously approved in Docket No. C-2285. Notice of the application was published in <a href="The Daily Record">The Daily Record</a>, Omaha, Nebraska, on March 15, 2007. No protests were filed; therefore, this application is processed pursuant to the Commission's Rule of Modified Procedure.

## OPINION AND FINDINGS

On June 6, 2000, Southern was granted authority to operate as an interexchange telecommunications carrier within the state of Nebraska pursuant to Application No. C-2285.

By application received on March 9, 2007, Southern requested the cancellation of its authority to operate as an interexchange carrier of communications services in the state of Nebraska and the withdrawal of its tariff. Southern no longer has customers in Nebraska and has ceased its telecommunications operations in the state.

Upon consideration of the request and being fully advised, the Commission finds the request to be reasonable and finds that Southern's authority to operate as an interexchange carrier of communications services in the State of Nebraska should be cancelled.

### ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Nebraska Public Service Commission that Application No. C-3779 be, and it is hereby, granted and the Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity previously granted to Southern Kansas Telephone Company, Inc., is cancelled.

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IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Southern Kansas Telephone Company, Inc.'s intrastate interexchange service tariff be, and is hereby, withdrawn.

MADE AND ENTERED at Lincoln, Nebraska, this 17th day of April, 2007.

NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

COMMISSIONERS CONCURRING:

Chairman

ATTEST:

Executive Director

//s// Rod Johnson
//s// Frank E. Landis